(SRI N. RACHIAH)

a number of leaflets and short notes on the subject for the benefit of the cultivators.

Sri B. D. JATTI (Chief Minister).—Sir, I beg to lay on the Table of the House, as required by article 323 (2) of the Constitution of India, the Annual Report of the Public Service Commission for the year 1957-58.

Sri B. D. JATTI (Chief Minister).—Sir, I beg to lay on the Table of the House Order No. R. D. 13 GST 60, dated 11th April 1960, issued under clause (a) of sub-section (I) of Section 9 of the Mysore Stamp Act, 1957.

Statement by Minister re: introduction of Prohibition in Mysore District.

Sri N. RACHIAH (Minister for Excise).—Sir, in accordance with the accepted policy of the Government regarding the introduction of total prohibition in the remaining parts of the State and in pursuance of the promise made by Government on the floor of the Assembly, and as indicated in His Excellency the Governor's Address during the current Budget Session, I am very happy to announce that Government have taken a decision to introduce prohibition in the entire district of Mysore, exclusive of Mysore City and Mysore Taluk, with effect from 1-7-1960.

Members' Representation.

Sri C. K. RAJIAH SETTY (Chickanaikanahally).—I have sent a short notice question about the society.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Government have not yet replied.

Sri C. K. RAJIAH SETTY.—It is a very important quest on.

Mr. SPEAKER.—I have received that question, but Government have not yet replied to it.

Sri C. K. RAJIAH SETTY.—It is very unfortunate. Would Government consider making a statement on the subject?

Mr. SPEAKER.—How can they make a statement now?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪಿ. ರೇವಣ್ಣಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪ (ತಿಪಟೂರು).—ನಾನು ಎರಡು ಮೂರು ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಸೆಕ್ಷನ್ ಮೂರು ವಾದಾಗಿನಿಂದ ಕಳುಹಿಸುತ್ತಿದ್ದೇನೆ. ಎರಡು ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಇಪ್ಪೊತ್ತಿನವರೆಗೂ ಉತ್ತರ ಬರಲಿಲ್ಲ. 15 ದಿವಸಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಉತ್ತರ ಕೊಡಬೇಕೆಂದು ಪ್ರತೀತಿ ಇದೆ. ಉತ್ತರ ಬಾರದೆ ಇರುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಕಾರಣವೇನು? ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರಿಗೆ ಉದ್ದೇಶಪೂರ್ವಕವಾಗಿ ಉತ್ತರ ಕೊಡಬಾರದೆಂಬ ಇಚ್ಛೆ ಇದೆಯೆ? ಮೂರು ಅಧಿವೇಶನಗಳಿಗೆ ಒಂದೇ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ ಕಳುಹಿಸುತ್ತಾ ಇದ್ದೇನೆ. ನನ್ನ ಉದ್ದೇಶವನ್ನು ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಬಹಳ ಪೊಟಕು ಮಾಡುತ್ತಾ ಇದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇದು ನನ್ನ ದುರದೃಷ್ಟ.

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ಅದನ್ನು ನೋಡುತ್ತೇನೆ.

Sri C.J. MUCKANNAPPA (Gubbi).—You gave an assurance to me. I sent ten questions. Out of them three were answered. One has been disallowed. It is such a simple matter.....

Mr. SPEAKER.—When a question has been disallowed, it must have been disallowed for a good reason.

Sri C. J. MUCKANNAPPA.—If I give you the reason, you yourself will feel that there is no reason to disallow it.

Mr. SPEAKER.—You cannot discuss it here.

Sri C. J. MUCKANNAPPA.—May I know what happened to the rest of the questions?

Mr. SPEAKER.—If you want to ask why some questions have not been replied to on the floor of the House, you can do so. But you cannot discuss why questions were disallowed. You can say something about the admitted questions that have not been replied to.

Sri C. J. MUCKANNAPPA.—That is what I am placing before you, Sir.

Mr. SPEAKER.—You are placing both.

Sri C. J. MUCKANNAPPA.—They have not seen the light of day at all. I want to know if they would see the light of day at least in the next session.

Sri G. SIVAPPA (Chitradurga).—We have read and heard that there is a change in the leadership in the Opposition Party.

Mr. SPEAKER.—We will come to that.

Sri M. C. NARASIMHAN (Kolar Gold Fields).—I would like to get a clarification from the Leader of the House and from you also, Sir.....

Mr. SPEAKER.—How can you ask a clarification from me ?

Sri M. C. NARASIMHAN. I do not know who is responsible. That is why I am asking.

More than a year ago the Legislative Council passed a Bill called the Mysore Shops and Establishments Bill. It has never found any priority. So, so far as this Government is concerned, is there any policy in respect of these matters ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—I am not concerned with it. It is for the Government to decide which Bills to take.

Praja Socialist Legislature Party.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The Praja Socialist Party has written to me that the Party has elected the following office-bearers :—

Sri B. K. Puttaramiya, Leader of the Opposition
Sri M. Ramappa, Whip,
Sri K. P. Kurambaya, Secretary.

I welcome all of them to their new tasks.

Sri B. D. JATTI (Chief Minister).—Sir, on behalf of this House, I welcome the new leader elected by the Praja Socialist Party and also the other office bearers. So far, the P.S.P. has been co-operating very nicely with the members on this side and with the Independents. I hope the new leader will continue to co-operate in the same spirit and will introduce more discipline under his leadership. I on my part may assure him that I will co-operate with him.

†**ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಕೆ. ಪುಟ್ಟರಾಮಯ್ಯ** (ಚನ್ನಪಟ್ಟಣ).—ಸ್ವಾಮಿ, ಈ ದಿವಸ ನಮ್ಮ ಈ ಸಭೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದು ಹೊಸ ಸಂಪ್ರದಾಯ ಸ್ಥಾಪನೆಯಾದುದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ನಮ್ಮ ವಿರೋಧಪಕ್ಷದ ಪರವಾಗಿ ತಮ್ಮ ಮೂಲಕ ಸಭಾನಾಯಕರಿಗೆ ವಂದನೆಗಳನ್ನರ್ಪಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಅವರು ಹೇಳಿದ ಹಾಗೆ, ಈ ಸಭೆಯ ಘನತೆ ಗೌರವಗಳನ್ನು ಕಾಪಾಡಿಕೊಂಡು ಬರುವ ಭರವಸೆಯನ್ನು ತಮಗೂ ಸಭಾನಾಯಕರಿಗೂ ಕೊಡುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಹೀಗೆ ಕೊಡುತ್ತಾ ಒಂದು ವಿಷಯವನ್ನು ಹೇಳಬೇಕಾಗಿದೆ. ಸರ್ಕಾರ ಮತ್ತು ವಿರೋಧ ಪಕ್ಷಗಳು ಪ್ರಜಾಪ್ರಭುತ್ವದಲ್ಲಿ ಅನಿವಾರ್ಯವೆನ್ನುವುದು ತಮಗೂ ಮತ್ತು ಮುಖ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳಿಗೂ ಗೊತ್ತಿರುವ ವಿಷಯ. ಪ್ರಜಾ ಪ್ರಭುತ್ವದಲ್ಲಿ ಕಟು ಟೀಕೆಗಳು ದೇಶದ ಹಿತದೃಷ್ಟಿಯಿಂದ ಬರುವುದನ್ನು ಶಾಂತಿಯಿಂದ ಸಹಿಸುವ ಶಕ್ತಿಯನ್ನು ಭಗವಂತನು ನಮ್ಮ ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಕೊಡಲಿ ಎಂದು ದೇವರನ್ನು ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಕಟು ಟೀಕೆಗಳನ್ನೂ ಸಭೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಯತಕ್ಕ ಘನತೆ ಗೌರವವನ್ನೂ ಬೇರೆ ಬೇರೆ ಮಾಡಬೇಕಾಗುತ್ತದೆ. ಟೀಕೆಯೇ ಬೇರೆ, ಸಭೆಯ ಘನತೆಯೇ ಬೇರೆ. ದೇಶದ ಹಿತದೃಷ್ಟಿಯಿಂದ ಟೀಕೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇವೆಂದು ತಿಳಿದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕು. ನಾನು ಎಷ್ಟು ದಿವಸ ಈ ಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲಿರುತ್ತೇನೋ ಅಷ್ಟು ದಿವಸವೂ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಶಃ ಟೀಕೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಅವಕಾಶ ಕೊಡದೆ ಸಭೆಯ ಘನತೆಗೆ ಕುಂದು ಬಾರದಂತೆ ಪ್ರಯತ್ನ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಪ್ರಜಾಪ್ರಭುತ್ವದ ಬೆಳವಣಿಗೆಗಾಗಿ ಏನು ಮಾಡಬೇಕೋ ಅದನ್ನೆಲ್ಲಾ ಮಾಡಲು ಮುಖ್ಯಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ಮಾಡಲು ದುಡಿಯುತ್ತಿರುವಂತೆ ವಿರೋಧ ಪಕ್ಷಕ್ಕೆ ಏನು ಅವಕಾಶ ಕೊಡಬೇಕೋ ಅದನ್ನು ಕೊಡಬೇಕು. ಇಂಗ್ಲೆಂಡ್ ದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ವಿರೋಧ ಪಕ್ಷಕ್ಕೆ ಯಾವ ಸ್ಥಾನ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರೆಂಬುದನ್ನು ತಾವು ನೋಡಿದ್ದೀರಿ. ಆ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯನ್ನು ಇಲ್ಲಿಯೂ ಜಾರಿಗೆ ತರುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ನಮ್ಮ ಮುಖ್ಯಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ಸಹಕರಿಸಿ ಪ್ರಯತ್ನ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಾರೆಂದು ನಂಬಿದ್ದೇನೆ.

Statistical statement of Questions etc.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Statistical Statement of Questions, Resolutions, Half-an hour Discussions Adjournment Motions etc., for the Budget Session, 1959, as on 18th April, 1960.

Starred Questions.

No. of questions tabled	...	706
No. of questions admitted and sent to Government	...	671
No. of replies due from Government as on 18-4-1960	...	570
No. of replies received	...	536
No. of questions answered	...	513
No. of replies still due from Government	...	34

Unstarred Questions

No. of questions tabled	...	120
No. of questions admitted and sent to Government	...	106
No. of replies received	...	63
No. of replies laid on the table of the House	...	55
No. of replies still due from Government	...	43
No. of replies on hand	...	8